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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: CABLE TRANSPORT SYSTEM AND  
METHOD FOR LOADING AND UNLOADING  
SPOOLS

Examiner: J. W. Keenan

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2008, the period for reply having been extended by a petition for extension of time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper and includes an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.